

Amendment in Response to July 12, 2005 Office Action
Application No. 10/810,535
Docket No. 7226-207

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims, in the application.

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended) A stretchable, supportive ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap comprising:

~~a first layer of a~~ silicone gel ~~;~~ ~~said first layer~~ having a skin contacting surface, said silicone gel being laminated to ~~and an adhesion surface opposite the skin contacting surface; and~~

~~a second layer of an elastic and supportive carrier; said second layer having an outer surface and an adhesion surface bonded to the adhesion surface of the first layer to form a continuous two ply composite; wherein said carrier is~~ comprising the stretchable loop portion of a hook and loop fastener, said loop portion having a loop surface and an opposite adhesion surface said laminate wrap forming an integrated structure capable of elasticity sufficient to provide compression against a body surface without substantial fragmentation of said silicone gel.

Claim 2 (canceled)

Claim 3 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 1, wherein the carrier has an elastic modulus of about 50%.

Claim 4 (canceled)

Claim 5 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 1, further comprising a closure strip for removably securing the laminate wrap around a part of the a body, said closure strip having the hook portion of a hook and loop fastener.

Claims 6-27 (canceled)

Claim 28 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 1, wherein the silicone gel layer contains an additive.

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Claim 29 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 1, which is in the form of a sheet or a roll.

Claim 30 (canceled)

Claim 31 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 1, wherein the silicone gel is a cured polydiorganosiloxane resin.

Claim 32 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 1, wherein the silicone gel contains an additive which is a topical medication or an emollient.

Claims 33 - 35 (canceled)

Claim 36 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 5, wherein the ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap is secured around the body part with the closure strip, whereby the secured ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap provides musculo-skeletal support to the ~~bandaged~~ body part.

Claim 37 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 36, wherein the body part is a joint or a muscle.

Claim 38 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 37, wherein the joint is a knee, an ankle, a wrist, or an elbow.

Claim 39 (currently amended) The ~~bandage~~ laminate wrap of Claim 36, for use in a veterinary application.